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1252	410	2252	205
1253	930	2253	465
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1402	320	2402	160
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2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

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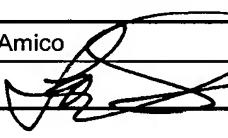
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1201	84	2201 42 Independent claims in excess of 3
1203	280	2203 140 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204	84	2204 42 ** Reissue independent claims over original patent
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